

COUNCIL PROBLEMS

Cedar Street Improvement Still In The Spot Light At The Council Chamber—Representative of State Board of Health Visits Wauseon and Calls on Council.

Long years ago when we were kids we used to sing an alleged negro song which ran "Way down South on Cedar Street, There's where the darkies grow ten feet"; for the council a more serious revision would run, "Way up North on Cedar Street, there's where troubles grow ten feet", and even twenty. The present mix-up had its origin years ago when the makers of the town were plating the lots and street lines of our fair city; either somebody blundered, bungled or forgot, or else they never expected Cedar Street to be anything more than an alley or perhaps a cow path. The lots on the west side of the street at the South end run into the street from ten to twenty feet making an ungraceful zig-zag of the West street line while the lots on the East side of the street come up to a fairly straight street line.

In the process of time people bought the lots on the East side of the street and built their homes thereon, while across the street the property owners built woodsheds and barns and in the fulness of time the old Tribune office a two story dry goods box structure was placed at the Southern extremity on Oak street; neither a thing of beauty nor yet a joy forever but extremely useful to the Rural Egg Company, a firm that is doing business in the building at present.

So down the Summer of the year A. D. 1916 and with it the spirit of civic improvement and beautification inspired and abetted by the Civic Improvement Committee of the Civic Club; the "bug" (yea) the property owners on the West side of Cedar street and they begin to "beautify." Mr. M. J. Dangler puts out a side walk in on his lot, other residents of Cedar street squint their eyes down along where they think the street line ought to be and conclude that Mr. Dangler's walk is in the street and pretty near the middle of the street. Just here we reach the pianissimo or the crescendo or something else equally interesting and we come back to earth and the council who are trying to straighten out matters, also the street, at the same time deal fairly with everyone and fix things so that Cedar street residents shall live happily ever afterwards—Some big job!

The council decided to give parties who are interested opportunity to procure funds to purchase land necessary to widen the street at the South end and appointed the chairman of Finance and the chairman of Street Committee, to keep in touch

with the situation and report at the next regular meeting. A visitor at the Council last Monday evening was a Mr. Durrell, Sanitary Engineer of the State Board of Health who had spent the day in Wauseon looking over the sewer situation, probably preliminary to the acceptance on the part of the State Board of the new sewer plat of Wauseon, recently submitted to that Board.

Mr. Durrell stated that the State Board of Health considered the solution of the problem of an adequate water supply for Wauseon as of first importance to our village and intimated that the Board would co-operate with local officials toward the solution of that problem.

Just what the solution would be Mr. Durrell did not state but several different lines were suggested by him.

FOR COURT OF APPEALS

Judge Bernard F. Brough, who is a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, is a man who would bring to that important office a highly specialized ability along judicial lines.

Although still a young man—he is forty-five years of age—he has had continuous service on the bench since 1905, when he was appointed Judge of the Toledo Police Court by Governor Herrick.

It is not too much to say that in the eleven intervening years, during ten of which he has been Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, Judge Brough has received a training giving to few jurists of his age.

It is equally true that this training by the State should now prove of the highest advantage to the State; in the wise and expeditious disposal of causes brought to so important a tribunal as the Court of Appeals.

Judge Brough is a man's man. He is neither a recluse nor a bookworm, but brings to his daily work a mind freshened and kept up to date by contact with both business and legal circles. He is a great out-of-doors man, who works hard and plays hard, thus preserving the physical balance that is necessary for professional ability to be kept unhampered by bodily limitations.

After his graduation from the Toledo High School in 1889, he four years later, received his degree from the Law Department of the University of Michigan.

Twelve years of general law practice followed, which fitted him admirably for the position of Assistant City Solicitor and Police Prosecutor. While serving in this capacity in 1905 he was appointed Judge of the Police Court by Governor Herrick to fill a vacancy, and one year later was elected Judge of the Court of Common Pleas.

At the conclusion of his first term in 1912, he was re-elected and is still serving.

Judge Brough was the son of a Veteran of the Civil War, and is himself an honorary member of Toledo Post, G. A. R., an organization of which the elder Brough was a Commander.

AUTO ACCIDENT

Toledo Man Seriously Injured When Auto Turns Over in Ditch—Walter Prall Pinned to Earth By Big Studebaker.

Two Toledo parties were caught in a rather serious auto accident last Tuesday near the Jerry Williams farm. Messrs. E. K. Fisher and Walter Prall were driving east by the Jerry Williams farm at about 10 o'clock Tuesday forenoon when the machine a large Studebaker owned by Mr. Fisher got out from under his control ran into the ditch and onto a Page woven wire fence in the recede the machine was overturned.

Mr. Prall was thrown out and caught under the machine; the edge of the windshield catching him across the side of his neck and pinning him to the ground. Mrs. Williams came to the rescue and fortunately a trained nurse was in the neighborhood and was brought to the injured man who was placed on a cot and taken into the Williams' home, later he was removed in an ambulance to the Wauseon Hospital. He showed no signs of returning consciousness until about 7 o'clock Tuesday evening. Later reports indicate that he will recover but he was very seriously injured and undoubtedly it was only prompt aid rendered by the doctor and nurse that saved his life. Mr. Fisher was uninjured; the car was damaged to the extent of a bent front axle and bent mud guards; it was brought to Morningstar's Garage for repairs.

The family of Mr. Prall came down from Toledo to see him at the Hospital Tuesday evening.

Messrs. Fisher and Prall were on their way from Toledo to Cincinnati when the accident occurred; they had been directed in Wauseon as to the road to Napoleon but in some way became confused and were going East toward Toledo when Mr. Fisher to guide the car and he lost control.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank my many neighbors and friends for their help and kindness to us in the time of our loss by fire of our home and contents, we certainly appreciate the help and sympathy that have been so generously extended to us in our time of great need.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Bachman.

CHESTERFIELD

Chesterfield School Begins Monday; teachers will be at the building Saturday afternoon and evening to meet the patrons of the school and school books will be on sale.

EIGHT HOUR LAW

A Clear Explanation of The Eight Hour Day Controversy—A Surrender of Principle—Who Was Held Up? Who is Benefitted?

From October Review of Reviews

The thing in dispute was not, as most people supposed, the length of the day's work, but the mode of reckoning pay. Although the strike would have stopped passenger trains, the controversy related to the operating freight trains. Generally speaking, the day's work for trainmen consists in making a certain run from one point to another. These runs may be regarded as averaging something like a hundred miles. If this mileage can be accomplished within ten hours, the day's wage is paid without claim for overtime. If the run is accomplished in less than ten hours, the trainmen have their full day's pay. But if, for one cause or another, there is delay, and the run takes eleven or twelve hours, the men receive one or two hours of pro rata overtime pay. The demand of the men in the recent controversy was not for shortening of the runs, but for a change in the way of computing wages. They demanded that overtime should begin with the completion of eight hours, and that the rate of pay for overtime should be 50 per cent. greater than the pro rata hourly pay. To take the case of a man now earning \$5.00 a day, if he should happen to be out twelve hours, he now receives \$6.00, this including two hours overtime at 50 cents an hour. If the demands of the men were fully granted, this worker would receive \$5.00 for having been out eight hours. His overtime pay would be based upon one eighth of the day's wage, and would therefore be 62½ cents plus 31¼, or \$3.34 cents per hour. If, then, the men were granted their demands, we have already mentioned, and thus work for twelve hours, he would receive \$3.75 for overtime and \$5.00 for

VALENTINE—TOLEDO

The Estate of Henry B. Harris will offer at the Valentine Theatre, Toledo, next Monday and Tuesday nights, Arnold Daly in a new play entitled "The Master" which is a masterpiece of modern life in three acts. It was adapted by Benjamin F. Glazer from the play of the same name by Herman Bahr.

The play is being staged for the first time in Cleveland this week. It stops in Toledo for two performances and then goes to New York City. This is the first time in many years that this eminent star has appeared in the Middle West.

As with all of this writer's work "The Master" deals with modern usage. He has set aside and in brilliant style made a cast of comment upon the thoughts and the manners of the folk about him. As with all great writers the people whom Bahr portrays are universal types and in "The Master" the lesson which he brings home applies to all lands and all peoples of the world.

"The Master" provides Mr. Daly with the best part he has had since he created the famous characterizations of George Bernard Shaw's stage folk. He was the first player to bring Shaw to popularity in our theatre and it is not unlikely that the foresight of the Harris management will enable him to make popular another great writer of the theatre. There is much in common between the two writers Bahr and Shaw, and the adaptor has retained in its virility and strength the brilliance of the original text.

An exceptional company of players will be seen in support of Mr. Daly. The leading woman, Miss Edith Latimer, was for many seasons prominent in support of Wilson Barrett, and she has created important parts on the London stage for the past several years. Edward Abeles, whose ability as a comedian ranks high will have an opportunity to use his subtlety in a role quite unlike anything he has yet done. The company will also include Florence Kiley, Ramsey Wallace, Edna May Oliver, William Fredrick, Carl Eckstrom, Charles Halton, Phillip Wood, George Gaston and others.

TO CLOSE AT SIX

After October 15th the meat markets of Haumesser & Dolf and H. K. Rank will close at 6 p. m. every evening except Saturday evenings during the Fall and Winter.

Haumesser & Dolf, H. K. Rank.

THE FARM CREDIT BILL

Congress has passed it and the President has signed it. So far so good. But the underlying principle of getting a loan under the regulations of this new bill, is after all, a good reputation, ability and resources upon which to obtain a loan.

The same old rule; the rule that has determined the making of any loan from time immemorial.

Any farmer, any man, can build up for himself a credit standing that will entitle him to the confidence and the financial assistance of his fellow men.

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FROM THE BORDER

Letter From Fulton County Boys Now Serving on The Texas Border—Strange Sights—Grand Review—Well and Busy—The Next Move Probably for Home.

The following letter dated at Fort Bliss, Texas, September 28th from Sgt. W. C. Figg of the 1st Ohio Ammunition Company, brings tidings from the Fulton county boys now doing military duty on the Mexican border.

"Just a line to the folks back home. Perhaps it would surprise you if I should say that I am very happy here. I arrived at Fort Bliss today from Wauseon, The Fulton County Tribune.

The boys can hardly wait until it arrives each week.

We landed in the "Lone Star State" two weeks ago; and such a beautiful one who has never been here cannot imagine.

Horned lizards, and lizards are plentiful, but the cactus is even more so.

We had a very pleasant trip from Camp Willis, were on the road four days.

It is estimated that there are seventy-five thousand troops here at El Paso; it is sure interesting to see them all in action. "Was most lost the first few days that we were here. The grand review last Thursday, for thousands of troops participated; it is claimed to be the largest since the Civil War. We left camp at 7:30 a. m. and never reached the camp again until 6 p. m. The parade was between twenty and twenty-five miles long and took just seven hours to pass one point. A tiresome day, but one not to be forgotten.

The days are very warm here, reminds me of July back home, but the nights make a chap think of his last Summers' wages' and woeen blankets.

Numerous letters from home show parents anxiety as to their boys on the border; in regards to their eating and bedding I wish to assure all interested parties that there is no room for their many anxieties.

"Uncle Sam" is taking the best of care of the boys and they are well, happy and anxious to move on into Mexico; but I think their next move will be HOPKINS.

I remain very sincerely yours,
Sgt. W. C. Figg."

THE CHURCHES.

M. E. CHURCH.
9:10 Sabbath School.
10:30 Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
6:00 Epworth League.
7:00 Reflecting Him.

O. P. HOFFMAN, Pastor.
BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 9:30.
Morning worship 10:45.
Evening worship 7:00.

Subject: The Gentile World Power. Illustrated by a large chart. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. All are invited.

T. B. ASHTON, Pastor.
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
9:30 a. m. Rally Day in our Bible School. Special program. Everyone invited.

11:00 a. m. Harvest Festival Service.
5:00 p. m. Junior Endeavor.
7:00 p. m. Evening Service.
"Good Roads—Enoch's Trail."

You are welcome at all our services.
WALTER C. SCHAFER, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School 9:30. Last Sunday's record 381. Let us make it 400 next. Come early.

Sermon 10:45. "Two Women on the Out—Church Quarrels." Christian Endeavor 6:00.
Sermon 7:30. "Wauseon's Best Young Woman." This is the second of a series of evening sermons. They are for young and old.

J. A. WHARTON, Pastor.
LUTHERAN CHURCH.
10th Sunday after Trinity October 8th.

Linton Twp.
9:00 Confessional address.
9:30 German service with Holy Communion.

Delta 2 o'clock.
The Lutheran mission will be opened at Delta on Sunday at 2 o'clock. The service on next Sunday will be in German and will be held in the old Free Methodist Church on Main street. The pastor in charge of the new mission will preach. We would be glad to meet all the German Lutherans of the neighborhood, who are not connected with other churches, as well as such Germans, who are not attending any church. Certainly, everybody is welcome.

H. E. PLEHN, Pastor.
Address: Wauseon.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH
The Evangelical church and Sunday School will celebrate "Rally Day" next Sunday morning. After the sermon at 9:30 o'clock, an appropriate program will be rendered.

Friday evening October 6th, an open meeting for all men will be held in the church. A. M. Barber will give an informal talk on interesting and instructive features of the Probate office. Music and informal talks and discussions will take up the hour from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock.

Friday evening September 28th the young people around New Bethel church organized a Young Peoples Alliance. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Walter Waldeck; Vice President, Mrs. Chas. Leist; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Hallie Gorsuch; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Emma Yoder; Treasurer, Mr. Walter Waldeck. Best wishes for the new organization.

GEORGE A. HEATH
While having sold at different times in his twenty-six years' experience some Behr Bros., A. B. Chas. Everett, Schiller, Story & Clark and Melvin instruments, George A. Heath of Wauseon, features the Straube line of pianos and player-pianos, and has on display at his warehouses, on South Fulton street a complete showing of the latest models. Mr. Heath first became associated with the retail piano industry in 1890. He has installed one of the most beautiful retail piano stores in Fulton county, and is known for many miles around as "the piano man of Wauseon." He also features the Columbia Grafola, and gives wide display in the weekly papers to this end of the business, which he has developed wonderfully in the past few years.—The Chicago Indicator.

Musical Journal.

MRS. GEORGE SCHAMP.

Amanda Hortana Barnes-Schamp, youngest daughter of Leonard P. and Mary Ann Barnes, was born near Wauseon, Ohio, April 14, 1857, and died September 24, 1916, aged fifty-nine years, five months and ten days. She was one of a family of twelve children in which there were seven brothers and five sisters. But two of the large family survive, William C. of Toledo and Winfield Scott of near Delta.

September 30, 1880, she joined fortune in life with Mr. Geo. Schamp, also of Wauseon, and it was permitted to them to live and to love almost thirty-six years. Saturday of this week would have been their wedding anniversary. Their children, Stella, Dola and Roy, all living and all present, bear testimony that a devoted and true mother once was but is no more. Their earliest memory of her is her solicitude in teaching them to pray and their latest memory shall be her joy in the personal salvation.

She was a good mother and model wife. When only 15 years of age she was converted but did not unite with the church until December 23, 1884, under the pastorage of Rev. Landis, April 13, 1902, she transferred her membership to the Methodist church of Wauseon and therein lived a devoted, consistent Christian, living and serving as long as she could.

About ten years ago she was the subject of a series of serious operations, which although they furnished temporary relief, were the sure beginning of the certain end. About four years ago she struck the steeper decline which soon brought her to the death's door. For years as you know a fog had gathered round about her which lifted now and then giving her a few lucid moments. It will remain the abiding joy of the family to remember that at a recent and last moment, she said, "I am prepared and ready to go, I am saved and safe." The end was peaceful and she sleeps in Jesus.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank the friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife, Mrs. Geo. Schamp, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. Geo. Schamp,
Miss Stella Schamp,
Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Holmes,
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schamp.

OHIO CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Twenty-three examinations are to be conducted by the state civil service commission during the month of November. The following are the bulletins just issued which will be sent free to all who request the same. The more important positions to be filled through these examinations are those of assistants for state institutions, green houses, assistant physicians for state institutions, dairymen for the new prison farm near London, storekeepers for various state institutions, district deputies to be employed by the industrial commission and dairy inspectors to be employed by the board of agriculture. All of these positions carry with them a substantial salary, and the appointments will be permanent. A score of other positions will be filled through competitive examinations to be conducted during the month of November. The bulletins contain full information regarding all examinations, together with the time and place of holding the same and the duties in which applicants will be examined. It will be noted free to all who address the commission at Columbus. A postal card will bring it.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
About one hundred members of Wauseon Lodge No. 156 Knights of Pythias enjoyed the regular meeting of the Lodge last Tuesday evening. Work in the third rank was followed by refreshments. A Knights of Pythias Band has been organized. They will meet for practice Friday evening in the Pythian Castle Hall. All Knights of Pythias who would like to play an instrument in the band are cordially invited to be present this evening.

4-No. 2 Cold Blast Lantern Globes for 25c at Schlatter & Howards.

REPUBLICAN RALLY.
There will be a grand Republican Rally at Swanton next Thursday evening, Hon. J. Hampton Moore, member of Congress from Pennsylvania and Hon. N. E. Matthews, Congressman from our own Fifth Ohio District, will address the meeting which will be held in Fillard's Opera House. Music will be furnished by the Swanton band.

Mr. Moore has the reputation of being one of the best speakers in the country. The issues of the campaign will be presented and discussed in a straight forward manner. All citizens are cordially invited.

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